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GREAT SESSION OF CONFERENCE

Methodist Hold Most Harmonious Meeting.

Nothing But Pleasant Memories For Hartford In Minds of Delegates and Ministers.

The Methodist Conference which was in session for almost one week in Hartford adjourned last Monday at noon, after the Conference appointments had been read by Bishop Atkins. Just before the reading of appointments the entire congregation joined in singing, "Hail to the Chief." It was a most solemn and affecting scene and there was intense stillness as the Bishop began reading the list which sealed the fate of two hundred ministers and fixed their field of labor for the coming twelve months. Not a great many changes were made, however, only those necessary to make way for men who had served their full four years term.

Hartford covered herself with glory in the manner in which she entertained the ministers and visitors. Without a single exception they went away sounding praises of our little town and the hospitality of her people. On all hands our citizens express themselves as having enjoyed the Conference to the fullest extent. Members of all the churches contributed to the successful entertainment.

The return of Rev. B. W. Napier to Hartford is exceedingly pleasing to all his members. His work has been of a high character and he is loved and respected by all our people. His splendid work for the Conference was recognized and commended upon by the visitors generally. The beautiful testimonial given him by the ministers was one unheard of before in the history of the Conference and is for that reason the more highly prized.

The second business meeting of the conference was held Thursday morning. Most of the time was consumed in listening to a continuation of the pastoral reports begun the day before. It was very noticeable that the reports as a whole were better than usual, a great majority of the pastors reporting a substantial increase in membership, and all assessments, collections, etc., paid in full. During this session Rev. J. T. Rushing, presiding elder of this, the Owensboro District, on behalf of Judge John B. Wilson and the local Methodist congregation, presented to Bishop Atkins a handsome gavel made from the wood of a tree which grew in Judge Wilson's yard. The Bishop made a graceful speech of thanks, but said "as the Methodist are gentle folks I trust and believe I will have no use for it."

Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Methodist church Dr. Leonard Robinson, of Elizabethtown, delivered an address on "The Preacher in the Pulpit." At 3 o'clock Dr. J. R. Savage, of Owensboro, preached.

On Thursday evening at the Methodist church one of the largest crowds of the whole session was present at the Anniversary Service of the Sunday Schools. Prof. C. E. Dunley, of Burlington, chairman of the Conference Sunday School Board, presided and made several short practical talks. After song service by Rev. Robert Lear, Bishop Atkins was introduced and made the annual Sunday School address. This was perhaps the most valuable address so far delivered before the conference. Bishop Atkins was formerly Secretary of the General Sunday School Board and is an authority on the subject. His remarks were devoted mainly to the magnitude and importance of the work. After him Mr. Jno. H. Pepper, Memphis, and Rev. George R. Stewart, of Knoxville, formerly with Sam Jones, described the work being done at the Methodist Assembly at Lake Junaluska. The latter completely captured the audience with his racy style.

The most important feature of Friday's business session was the selection of the place of meeting for next year. Princeton and Franklin

were put in nomination by their respective pastors, Rev. W. C. Brandon and Rev. C. F. Wimberley. After a number of ministers had spoken in behalf of each place, the vote was taken. It was very close, but resulted in favor of holding the next session of the Conference at Franklin. The selection was then made unanimous. At the morning session, after devotional services by Rev. J. D. Sigler, Louisville, the routine business of the conference was resumed. The following were admitted into the conference on trial: Howling Green District, E. M. Holman; Columbia District, F. M. Sanders and D. T. Penick; Henderson District, A. H. Reynolds; Hopkinsville District, R. L. Sloan; Elizabethtown District, R. D. Gilpin; Louisville District, P. H. Ryan; Owensboro District, R. C. McDowell. The transfer to this conference was announced of D. A. Brandon from the Florida conference and of A. C. Johnson and Rufus McMeekin from the Kentucky conference. Rev. E. D. Hoggess was, at his own request, allowed to "locate." At this point Rev. D. S. Campbell, the second oldest preacher in the conference and who has been in active service for 52 years, asked to be superannuated. He was given quite an ovation and he was made present of one hundred dollars by his brethren. Bishop Atkins then introduced Mr. John R. Pepper, Memphis, Tenn., leader of the Laymen's Movement in Southern Methodism, and Rev. George R. Stewart, Knoxville, Tenn., who presented the cause of the Southern Methodist Assembly at Lake Junaluska, N. C. This is a Christian summer resort similar to Lakes Chautauqua and Winona. \$2,500 worth of stock in this enterprise was subscribed by ministers and laymen. Rev. C. F. Wimberley then read the report of the Committee on Publications. It dealt mainly with the question of the taking over by the conference in connection with the Kentucky and West Virginia conferences of the Central Methodist Advocate, now privately owned. This plan was not deemed feasible by the committees at the present time and no action was taken. The remainder of the session was given up to Dr. E. G. H. Mann, of Lexington, editor of the Central Methodist Advocate, who used the time in receiving pledges of subscriptions from the pastors for the coming year.

Friday afternoon at the Methodist Church Dr. Frank M. Thomas of Louisville, delivered one of the finest discourses of the conference session to date on "The Preacher Transfigured." At 3 o'clock the Anniversary Service of the Epworth League was held. The principal address was delivered by Dr. C. L. Culbert, of Nashville, Tenn.

The service Friday night was devoted to the Preacher's Aid Society.

The business of most interest at the business meeting on Saturday morning was the report of the Committee on Temperance, which expressed satisfaction at the progress made by the Temperance cause, approved the activities of the Anti-Saloon League and pledged the conference to a continued aggressive campaign in behalf of the cause. Dr. A. N. Palmer, head of the Ky. Anti-Saloon League was present and made a short address. The following were admitted into full connection in the Conference: E. P. Deacon, J. G. Akin, R. E. Baller, M. M. Murrell, W. C. Frank, F. W. Qualls and Summers Brinson. A short business session was held Saturday afternoon after which a Sunday School Institute, led by Mr. C. J. Nugent of Louisville, was held at the Methodist Church. At night the Anniversary Service of the Board of Missions was held. Dr. Frank M. Thomas made the principle address and over five hundred dollars was raised for the cause. On Sunday at the Methodist church there was a love feast service and ordination of deacons after which Bishop Atkins preached. The weather was ideal and there was an immense congregation present. In the afternoon a Memorial service was held at the same place. At night Rev. A. R. Kneve delivered a powerful sermon. At the Baptist church Rev. R. B. Grider preached at 11 a. m. and Dr. J. H. Young at 7:30 p. m. At the Christian church Rev. E. F. Goodson preached at 11 a. m. and Rev. S. G. Shelley in the evening. There was also preaching by visiting ministers in the various churches at Beaver Dam. The local

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CHARGES STANLEY DEBAUCHED VOTERS

Dr. Palmer President Kentucky Anti-Saloon League Speaks.

Just after the report of the Temperance Committee at the Methodist Conference last week, in Hartford, Dr. Palmer, President of the Anti-Saloon League was introduced and made the following speech:

Friends and brethren: I have often talked with you and to you on this subject and you know my thoughts. However, I am glad to have these few minutes in which to tell you that a most serious time has come upon us. I do not mean to say we are discouraged because of the defeat encountered in the recent great struggle with the greatest enemy of our Commonwealth. We must be careful to say and do the right thing at this critical time. I do not know whether or not you take the right view of the results of the recent primary. I would have you know well the cause of the results as they came. I want to tell you the whole solution of the problem lies in the fact that the candidate for Governor on the Democratic ticket in the recent primary received 49,238 more votes than any other candidate on the ticket. No one who has thought rightly can differ with me on that proposition. If we had had an honest count and an honest vote Harry V. McChesney would certainly have been nominated and he is the man who made state-wide prohibition seem a certainty. I think there is no question about it. If the vote had been taken on the Saturday before the election McChesney would certainly have been nominated. Two weeks after the primary I sent out a letter to many representative men asking them, in their opinion, what was the cause for the great sudden slump in the vote from McChesney and if all of them had gotten together for the purpose of answering the question I do not see how they could have been more unanimous in saying it was caused by a campaign of misrepresentation and especially by the debauching of voters with money and whiskey on the two or three or four days before the primary. I have knowledge of one precinct in which forty Republicans asked for Democratic ballots. This is most significant and shows that we have come upon dangerous times. But we must not be discouraged but must persevere along right lines as we have done and we will finally save our State from this iniquitous traffic.

Bishop Atkins thanked Dr. Palmer for his presence and his words against "this chief calamity of modern civilization."

REMEMBER THE MORROW SPEAKING AT HARTFORD, MON- DAY, OCT. 11 AT 1:30 P. M. MC- HENRY 7:00 O'CLOCK MONDAY NIGHT.

POND RUN.

Oct. 5.—Brother J. A. Colard filled his regular appointment at Pond Run Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Carrie Russell, our school teacher who has been sick for several days is improving.

Miss Audrey Brown is on the sick list.

The farmers of this community are very busy sowing wheat, making molasses and cutting corn.

Mr. T. H. Graham and family are visiting relatives in Muhlenburg county this week.

Miss Edith Ashby of Lone Star returned home Sunday from a week's visit with Miss Shula Robinson.

Mr. Will Robinson and sister, Shula attended church at Lone Star Sunday.

Miss Katie Russell has gone to Illinois to become a nurse in the Hospital.

Miss Ethel Hunley is visiting relatives in Illinois.

Mr. H. D. Ross, of Hartford was the guest of his parent, Mr. A. H. Ross Sunday.

Misses Edna and Novia Ross visited their uncle, Mr. A. H. Ross, Sunday.

Miss Ethel Russell, who is teaching in her sister's place visited her uncle Mr. S. J. Robinson Monday night.

NARROW ESCAPE FOR CLOVERPORT PARTY

Five Women and Three Men Rescued From Ohio River.

Cloverport, Ky., Oct. 4.—Eight prominent residents nearly lost their lives in the Ohio river here at 6:30 o'clock Sunday evening when the Mary Jane, a motor boat in which they were riding, crashed into a log and sank almost before the occupants could put on life preservers. Every member of the party, five of whom were women, were fished from the river a few moments later by townspeople.

Those rescued were, Mr. and Mrs. William Pate, Miss Elizabeth Skillman, of Cloverport; Miss Elizabeth Skillman of Morganfield, and Miss Virginia McGavock, Miss Irene Jarboe, Fred Frazier and Charles White all of Cloverport.

It was only by the greatest of good fortune that the accident did not become a catastrophe. The cool-headedness of Mr. Pate, owner of the Mary Jane, played a large part in preventing loss of life.

The Mary Jane was traveling at a high rate of speed when it crashed into the log. A large hole was torn in the prow, and it was evident that the boat would float but a minute or two.

Mr. Pate commanded all the occupants to don life preservers. The men assisted the women and had barely time to get preservers on themselves when the boat went to the bottom.

It was dark when the accident occurred, and there were no witnesses. But the cries of the members of the party attracted the attention of persons sitting in front of the hotel on the river front, and the townspeople generally responded. Every possible craft that was available was brought into use.

Luckily, the eight people in the river had not floated far or become widely separated and the work of rescue was conducted rapidly. It was timely, as two of the women, due to the fact that their life preservers had been donned in great haste, were in serious danger of going down.

The Mary Jane, which went to the bottom, was one of the finer motorboats in the river at this section. It was operated by a boat club, of which members of the party and residents of Louisville are members.

Owsley Looks Tired.

The Hon. A. O. Stanley, candidate for Governor, passed through Havesville, Wednesday, but attracted little attention. Mr. Stanley seemed in a melancholy frame of mind and looking as if he thought he was chasing a rainbow notwithstanding the boasting spels in the Democratic organs. Owsley evidently don't believe it. He failed to recognize any of the boys here but remained seated with that tired far away look born of despair.

Morrow At Louisville.

Louisville, Ky., Oct. 4.—If a comparison of the Morrow and Stanley speaking in Louisville last week reflect conditions throughout the State, Morrow's majority in November will be twenty thousand.

With three daily papers to advertise it, with unlimited money to effect arrangements and with an army of city and county officials upon whom attendance was compulsory, the Stanley crowd Tuesday night was no larger than the crowd that heard Morrow Saturday night. Morrow's attendance was a testimonial to the man and his cause.

In attention and enthusiasm the comparison was marked. To quote the Louisville Evening Post, reference to another speech delivered by Mr. Stanley in Louisville, May 20th, his speech here Tuesday night was so "characteristically vituperative and disgusting" that before he was half through one third of the seats on the lower floor of the Masonic Theatre were empty. Col. Morrow closed his address at the late hour of 11 p. m., and not a single seat on the lower floor of that same hall was empty. After the close of Col. Morrow's speech and a throng of enthusiastic admirers were crowding around him to congratulate him.

one of Kentucky's distinguished orators, a former Democratic member of Congress from the historical Seventh Kentucky district, warmly grasped Col. Morrow's hand and said, "Col. Morrow, that was the greatest political speech I ever heard." The effect of that grave compliment, coming from so distinguished a citizen, visibly affected Col. Morrow, who, for the moment wanted language to express his thanks. Truly the grace and dignity, the moderation and restraint, the appeal to human nature in its loftiest and loveliest aspects has never before been approached by a Kentucky orator, and on the street and in the hotel lobbies there were a chorus of praise of Col. Morrow's masterful effort, and a prediction that he would sweep the State in November. Col. Morrow's masterful oration struck terror to the ranks of a disorganized and discouraged Democracy and raised the tide of Republican enthusiasm to its flood.

The man is a marvel and every citizen in Kentucky should hear him in this campaign.

More Indictments in Election Probe.

Winchester, Ky., Oct. 2.—After reporting two indictments charging election bribery and two charging false swearing the Clark County grand jury, which has been investigating the primary election of last August adjourned.

Twelve additional indictments charging betting on the election were returned to the grand jury during its sessions of yesterday.

The grand jury or its first report declared that while it was able to find indictments against only two persons for bribery it was convinced that considerable money was illegally used in the primary contests, and recommended that the next grand jury make a further investigation.

Charged with paying \$2 to Robert Moore to procure his vote and influence for W. R. Shackelford for circuit judge and W. R. Taylor for county judge, A. H. Hamilton, known as "Uncle Andy" was indicted. "Uncle Andy" is a Republican and one of the wealthiest men in the county.

Other indictments for false swearing were returned against D. S. Powell and Dan Insko. Powell was also indicted for betting on the election, as was Rodney Brookshire.

Fiscal Court.

The Ohio County Fiscal court was in session Tuesday and Wednesday with all members present. A great deal of routine business was transacted.

Mr. Charley Smith, of Balzatown, was elected poor house keeper, succeeding Mr. Frank Black, who has held the position very acceptably for two years. Mr. Smith agrees to board the inmates for 50c. less on the week and was the only candidate.

Dr. Clarence DeWeese, of Beaver Dam, was elected member of the board of health to succeed Dr. S. D. Taylor, deceased.

Attorney A. D. Kirk was elected commissioner to settle with the Sheriff.

A sum equal to 85 per cent of the work done on the new pike on Centertown road was ordered paid.

The court passed a resolution against allowing any further sums for charity, except through the almshouse. This action is very important to the tax-payers as heretofore large sums have been appropriated in all parts of the county and doubtless in many instances unnecessarily.

The court adjourned to meet Tuesday after second Monday in November.

Journalistic Snipers.

Friday morning, the Louisville Courier Journal carried an announcement that Col. Morrow would speak at the Masonic Theatre Friday night. The afternoon Times carried the same announcement. Mistakes will sometimes occur in the best regulated offices but after the first edition of the Times, that office was notified of its error but refused to correct it, and the Saturday edition of the Courier Journal and Times made no mention of the Morrow speaking Saturday night. This conduct of these newspapers, following the Stanley frost, looks like a premeditated effort to confuse the public and discourage a hearing for Morrow, but these Journalistic Snipers failed of their purpose and the Morrow speaking was one of the largest and most enthusiastic ever held by the Republican party in the City of Louisville.

DEMOCRATIC LAWS FOUND WANTING

Administration Gradually Disclosing Fact.

Growing Discrepancy Between Receipts and Expenditures Worries President.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 7.—Democratic laws have been tried and found wanting.

As the time for Congress to reassemble approaches, this fact is being gradually disclosed by the administration itself. In nearly every Department in Washington, government officials are preparing amendments to patch up defects in statutes. These defects exist because the methods followed in the enactment of the statutes were slovenly and careless to the last degree.

Another problem facing the administration, even more serious than that of defective laws, is that of the government's finances. There has been a growing discrepancy between receipts and expenditures, creating a deficit in the treasury that must be provided for.

Government funds have been wasted and a large proportion of this waste is due to carelessness by the Democratic Congress in handling appropriations. Articles have heretofore appeared giving a few typical examples of how this waste has occurred. These articles might be continued indefinitely. Enough has been said, however, to illustrate the wasteful, inefficient principle that vitiated the entire Democratic regime.

A recapitulation of the later articles, from 16 to 24, is given herewith. They will be followed later by additional descriptions of Democratic mistakes.

16. Millions of dollars worth of the nation's timber supply jeopardized.

17. The integrity of the law taxing "cotton future" sales is in doubt, and must be tested in court.

18. As business managers the Democrats have been utter failures, their methods of enacting appropriation bills causing enormous waste. To illustrate:

19. The rural free delivery service has been shamefully crippled.

20. The construction of good roads by governmental aid was delayed a year, and much of the appropriation absolutely lost.

21. Important surveys of Alaska mineral resources were prevented for two successive years.

22. Prevention of epidemics of tuberculosis and trachoma among Indian tribes and adjacent communities delayed a year.

23. Civil war veterans died in want through needless errors in special pension laws.

24. Over ten million dollars lost in one appropriation bill alone through needless delay in its enactment, enough lost in four years of similar Democratic delays to more than cover the present deficit.

To Our Customers.

We have sent the rolls from our flour mill to be resharpened and will supply our customers with flour as long as our stock holds out. Hope to have mill in operation by Oct. 15. Will be prepared to make better flour than ever before.

ELLIS MILLING CO.

Brownsville Cops.

The two games of baseball, which were the chief attractions at the Morgantown fair last week, resulted in victory for Brownsville over Hartford. The first game by the score of 9 to 1, and the second 6 to 3. Manager Casebeer says he lost because Brownsville made more scores than his team did. He says that they just stuck their toes in the ground and whaled the cover off the ball. They must have had a good team or they never could have beaten this line-up: Thorpe, Pirtle, Withrow, Thompson, Welsh, Jones, Garrett, Elgin, Reid, Keown.

MORROW WILL BE HERE OCT. 11. YOU CANNOT AFFORD TO MISS HIS GREAT SPEECH ON STATE ISSUES.

He had a former of Methodist influence.

Following is a synopsis of the paper read by Rev. D. S. Campbell of Sacramento, Ky., on the beginning of Methodism in America and Hartford as a center of influence for miles around:

In a conference at Leeds in England in 1772, at the suggestion of Wesley, Thos Rankin was chosen to superintend the church work in the promising field of America. George Shadford accompanied him and in 1773 they landed in Philadelphia. They soon visited the principle seats of Methodism and found that there had been a lack of discipline. They found seven preachers and count of 1169 members. Soon Rankin returned to England but not before he had found in Francis Asbury a right man to superintend Methodism in America. Soon a conference was held and one of the puzzling questions was, "What shall we do with our preachers who do not free their slaves?" This was answered by Asbury who said, "Let us try those in Virginia another year and suspend all those in Maryland, Delaware, Pennsylvania and New Jersey."

Benjamin Gaden was sent to Kentucky in 1786 to introduce Methodism here. I have his autograph and it is written in capitals, BEN GADEN. There was a great religious revival in the southern part of the State in the latter part of the eighteenth century and it swept northward to the Ohio river very quickly. Gaden is behind many relatives and descendants and some of them are residents of Owensboro now.

Districts began to be established and in 1801 the Cumberland district was established and it extended north from Natchez, Miss., and included Kentucky, Indiana and Illinois, or the territory that now compose those states.

On August 17 and 18, 1804, a quarterly meeting was held at Cham Browners near Pond river on the road from Greenville to Madisonville. The presiding elder was Lewis Garrett and there were twelve other ministers present: Jesse Walker, Miles Harper, Joshua Barnes, Thos. Taylor, James Ekley, Moses Phelps, Wiley Ledbetter, Josiah Moore, L. Travis, Boaz Parker, Taylor Webb, Chas. Bröder, Pleasant Ekley. This conference made the appointment of Jesse Walker for the Hartford circuit. He had this charge however, jointly with the Lexington one. Through the influence of the Rev. Thos. Taylor and others successful revivals had been held and many had joined the church. This resulted in the organization of Goshen church, two miles of Hartford. This is said to have been the first church organized in the County of Ohio. Soon after Method and Presbytery churches were organized. The organizations of these churches followed a great revival held by the Presbyterians and the Methodists. These churches became the nucleus of a fine religious influence that has spread all over this county and even farther.

At the session of the Western conference held in 1801 when the Hartford district first appears on the list there was no bishop present and Wm. Kendrick presided. The Hartford district then numbered 305 whites and 15 blacks.

Rev. Thos. Taylor, to whom the church here owes so much, was the father of the late H. J. Taylor of the Hartford bar and he was the grandfather of Mrs. Thompson Mitchell, of Owensboro, and Mrs. Grooms of Grissom's landing, both of whom were members of my first charge in 1862.

In 1806 there had been such changes in the districts that Hartford circuit then reported only 300 members. In 1807 Wm. McKendree was presiding elder and Benjamin Edge and Samuel Sellers were Hartford preachers, and Jesse Walker had been sent as a missionary to the whole of Illinois. At the first general conference held in 1808 McKendree was made a bishop. At a conference held soon after he asked, "Is there anything against Brother Edge?" Axby answered, "There is" and then related the following amusing story: "When Brother Edge first came to this circuit he all at once concluded that he must have a gig. He was too poor to buy one and nobody would give him one. So he concluded that he would make one of his own. Brother Winton gave him a pair of hubs. I never could find out where he got the tires. Brother Throntley gave him the wood. He has a wagon top. Sister Black gave him and old arm chair and he fixed it into a seat. Brother Amptester gave him a side of leather to make his harness but he is the poorest harness maker you ever saw and made a bad job of even the bridle. He got everything ready and started out. As he was going by old Sister Habbit's, who had several old girls about the house and who were kind to preachers, he stopped before the door and was proud of his gig. He would not get out and the women and girls came out to talk to him and they brought him a basket of apples to eat while he was talking to them.

And old as he is he was fond of talking to women. He thought old Ball might be hungry and the women brought him a bundle of fadder and they took the bit out of old Ball's mouth and slipped the bridle back to the collar and there he was eating apples and cracking jokes with the women when, as the devil would have it I suppose, old Ball got scared and away he went. They all hollered "woah" but Ball didn't mind them and just then the basket of apples turned over and scared him worse and worse. In the next place his old hat flew off and sailed like a buzzard scaring the horse still worse. At last he struck a stump and the old man got one of the highest falls ever seen, and broke his leg and he is lame yet."

The narrative does not tell what the Bishop did for Edge. James Axley who was elected a delegate to the general conference in 1812 offered the following resolution: Resolved that no stationed or local preacher shall retail spirituous or malt liquor without forfeiting his ministerial character among us." It was sent to the table several times and then it was finally put to a vote and lost. Again in 1816 he went as a delegate and offered the same resolution and this time it was passed by the conference. Some of us were anxious that the centry of Axley's resolution, 1816, should see Kentucky voted dry, but like Axley's resolution in 1812 it has been tabled for the present but it will not down. It will come to a vote and Kentucky will be dry some time.

Axley had a great aversion to slavery and would not open the doors of the church if he thought a slaveholder wanted to join. He was also bitterly opposed to the use of tobacco, often quoting this rhyme: Tobacco is an Indian weed, And from the Devil does proceed. It spoils a woman, burns her clothes, And makes a chimney of her nose.

He also preached against Masonry because of its secrecy. He was also hard on dress in women. Placed once by his presiding elder to let in the good and keep out the bad he turned several women back who had trills and tins on. At last a woman, whom he knew to be pious came to the door with the first furs on her that he had ever seen and after sending her for a time he said, "Go in sister, outskins and all."

Two of Hartford's presiding elders were elected to the episcopacy. They were McKendree and Morris. Other preachers of this place in the days long gone were: John Smith, Wm. Allison, Nathaniel Talbot, George McNelly, Hiram Kelbuns, Thos Taylor, John Pinkston, John Davless, Thos. Stevens, Phillips and Joe Miller but I refer you to a small book by Judge L. P. Little, of Owensboro, for more personal information.

Owensboro does not appear in the list of monthly preaching places until February 25, 1826, at which time the Hartford circuit had only thirty-six preaching places scattered over a territory now covered by at least twenty-five pastoral charges. In 1819 Rev. Wm. Hart who had been a successful itinerant preacher for several years located near Hartford and did much by his piety and talents to build up Methodism in all this section of Kentucky. One of his sons, Henry Hart whom I knew fifty years ago in Owensboro, was a successful teacher and christian gentleman of the highest order.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

Thrift Bars Must Go Up To Stay.

The Tariff is the only disturbing factor for the old-time prosperity and the full dinner pail. The war has set up bars, to be sure, but the safety of the country demands permanent barriers to prevent the dumping of all kinds of foreign manufactures after the war, and there seems to be a very pronounced feeling on the part of intelligent men that the tariff bars go up to stay at the next general elections. We cannot expect normal prosperity under existing conditions, but the time is drawing nearer, as each month closes, when the people will be judge and jury, and then the curtain will fall on the worst piece of legislation the present Tariff ever placed in our statute books.—Fibre and Fairlie.

A Doctor's Prescription for Cough An Effective Cough Treatment.

One-fourth to one teaspoonful of Dr. King's New Discovery, taken as needed, will soothe and check Coughs Colds and the more dangerous Bronchial and Lung Affections. You can't afford to take the risk of serious illness, when so cheap and simple a remedy as Dr. King's New Discovery is obtainable. Go to your Druggist to-day, get a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery, start the treatment at once. You will be gratified for the relief and cure obtained.

Original Prohibition Town Torn Wide Open.

'Holy Hoopston,' known throughout the Middle West as the original saloonless community, is again in the limelight. The last "gin mill" was run out of Holy Hoopston in 1870. According to the Cincinnati Enquirer this burg "is the throes of a moral, social, and political upheaval," precipitated by one gray-haired woman with an electric flashlight and a magazine pistol. It is said that her activities have forced the resignation of the entire police force and set the city council at loggerheads. The Enquirer's article reads as follows:

The woman is Mrs. Agnes Frisinger. With her pocket flash lamp and her pistol Mrs. Frisinger has so terrified evildoers that the toughest characters, according to Mayor I. E. Merrill, run when they see her coming.

Mrs. Frisinger was made city matron of the "Holy City," as Hoopston is called, early in May, following the formation here of a woman's vigilance body, known as "The Committee of Fifty."

Here are Mrs. Frisinger's most striking achievements to date.

She has forced the resignation of Police Chief W. J. Dixon and the entire police force under him.

She has raked two gambling houses, single-handed, and arrested six gamblers at the point of a gun.

She has compelled twenty or more men to "marry the girl" and has several similar engagements.

She has thrown certain "free-and-easy" couples in "club society" of the town into a panic of apprehension.

"This was a bad place when I came here," said Mrs. Frisinger. "It is bad enough now, but much improved. I assure you."

"There are too many good looking widows in this town—25 of them. Handsome widows are a disturbing element in any community, no matter how discreet they may be."

"The worst trouble is not all in the lower-quarters, either. The high jacks society, lunch in the clubs, needs watching too. Some of that crowd carry on something scandalous. There's a clique they call 'The Wife-traders.' It's pretty hard to get the goods on the crowd, but I'm right on the job. I'll clean this town up finally."

Constipation Cured Overnight.

A small dose of Po-Do-Lax to-night and you enjoy a full, free, easy bowel movement in the morning. No griping, for Po-Do-Lax is Podophyllin May Apple without the gripe. Po-Do-Lax corrects the cause of Constipation by arousing the liver, increasing the flow of bile. Bile is Nature's antiseptic in the bowels. With proper amount of bile, digestion in bowels is perfect. No gas, no fermentation, no Constipation. Don't be sick, nervous, irritable. Get a bottle of Po-Do-Lax from your Druggist now and cure your Constipation overnight. I

Do You Buy Any Cheaper.

The Underwood Tariff law reduced the Tariff on sugar one cent a pound. Next January it will be reduced another cent. Do you get your sugar any cheaper? Not on your typewriter; that is what the Sugar Trust gets for making the light for free sugar.

Meat is now on the free list and the meat trust can import all the meat they want free from Central and South America, but do you buy meat any cheaper? When you do please call around and let us know.

Coal is now on the free list, thanks to Hon. Oscar Underwood, and millions of dollars have been lost to American coal miners and mine owners. Now please tell us how much cheaper you bought your coal last winter than you did before. When you buy your coal this winter please come in and tell us how much cheaper than you formerly paid. Collinsville (Ala.) Courier.

Recommends Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

"Last winter I used a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for a bad bronchial cough. I felt its beneficial effect immediately and before I had finished the bottle I was cured. I never tire of recommending this remedy to my friends," writes Mrs. William Bright, Ft. Wayne, Ind. Obtainable everywhere.

Hamlett With Notes.

In offering the public some notes on Hamlett we want it clearly understood we are not dealing with the Shakespearean character but with one Barksdale Hamlett, present Superintendent of Public Instruction and Candidate on the Democratic ticket for Secretary of State.

Note 1. In 1914 a generous Legislature increased Mr. Hamlett's salary by \$1,500 a year and provided him with an allowance of \$2,000 a year additional clerk hire. Mr. Hamlett proceeded to go the Legislature one better, and further increased his own income by appointing his wife to the \$2,000 position, and Mr. Hamlett has never insisted that his wife

made excessive sacrifice of her domestic duties to give her services to the State.

Note 2. That same act of the Legislature gave Mr. Hamlett two field inspectors at one thousand a year each, and he gave one of these inspectorships to Mr. O. V. Gilbert, a clerk in his office. Mr. Gilbert was already holding a clerkship at \$1,000 a year, and has since held both offices and drawn two salaries, together with expending a nice sum for traveling expenses. His traveling expenses were:

First year \$ 581.65
Second year 824.12
Third year 1,097.04

Total \$2,502.81

Note the arithmetical progression in Mr. Gilbert's expense account.

Note 2. Mr. Hamlett's expense account for those same years were:

For the school year ending June 30, 1913, \$3,315.48.
For the school year ending June 30, 1914, \$3,236.49.

For the school year ending June 30, 1915 \$2,832.37 Total \$9,384.34.

In the month of December, 1912, Mr. Hamlett's expense account reached the startling sum of \$598.76, or a sum equal to 19.25 a day.

Note 4. Mr. Hamlett's expense account at Paduch one day, \$28.65.

Note 5. Mr. Hamlett collects from the State \$3.00 expenses at the Hermitage, at Nashville, Tenn., and \$25.00 at the Sinton Hotel, Cincinnati. Resulting improvement to the schools of Tennessee and Ohio are not appended to vouchers.

Note 6. Had \$500.00 worth of private calculators made with picture of son engraved thereon. Forced by opinion of Attorney General to refund the amount.

Note 7. Mr. Hamlett charged great number of teachers a fee of \$5.00 for issuing life certificates, and since finding his conduct was about to be exposed is mailing checks refunding, so at least, of these illegally charged fees.

Note 8. Man and wife are one, but in the case of Superintendent Hamlett and his wife the "one" manages to draw two salaries from the State Treasury.

Note 9. For a detailed account of Superintendent Hamlett's unsavory record in that office see Republican Campaign Handbook.

Note 10. Mr. Hamlett is asking the people to endorse this record by electing him Secretary of State. Ky. Sun.

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Wilson For Protection.

That is an interesting rumor published by the Washington Star that President Wilson, looking to the end of the war and the revival of European shipment to this country, is leaning toward Protection. He believes, it is said, the political advantages of being a protectionist. Republicans in such a cent but the revision upward will be urged on the Democracy, not on the plea of protection but on the necessity for revenue to meet the new plans for the national defense.

The Republicans will introduce a new Tariff bill in the coming session on Protective lines. The administration will be obliged to take up revenue legislation to meet current expenses. If the President's attitude is correctly forecasted, Tariff revisions upward might be nearer than has been supposed. Popular opinion on this subject has been swinging around, just has several other burning issues in the 1912 campaign. The war has given a new viewpoint. We are a less impulsive and more thoughtful people than a year ago. There is less flying to extremes, much more of a disposition to find the happy medium.—Pittsburgh Dispatch.

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unit law at the end of the session." The following day the Post handed Mr. Stanley this one: "Out of Politics! I'd like to see the liquor men out of politics as long as Stanley and I live, was Judge Albie Young's derisive remark after the adjournment of a secret session of the distillers last winter."

The Post further expresses its contempt for this candidate, to the tail of whose band wagon it is now clinging in this expressive paragraph. "The Louisville Times continues to print stories of the large crowd that assemble to hear Mr. A. O. Stanley speak. We hope the stories are true. The more people that hear the combination of demagoguery and vituperation that make up Mr. Stanley's speeches the less remote becomes the danger of his nomination."

July 27, this same Louisville Evening Post, friend of Beckham and the county unit law, said: "Judge O'Doherty sums up the candidates accurately when he says that McDermott is the county unit candidate, McChesney the Prohibi-

Mr. Hamlett's Idea of Economy and Miscegeny.

Elsewhere in this issue of The Leader a staff correspondent presents another interesting chapter with reference to the conduct of the office of Superintendent of Public Instruction by Mr. Harkdale Hamlett.

Mr. Hamlett displays considerable irritation because of the repeated criticisms of his official actions, but he is a public servant and a candidate for further favors at the hands of his fellow-citizens and he should court the fullest possible discussion of his stewardship, especially so in view of his statement, thus early, that he will be the man, who, four years from now "will whip hell out of Morrow."

In making this positive announcement of his candidacy for the great office of Governor of Kentucky Mr. Hamlett presupposes two things: first, that Mr. Morrow will be elected this year, and secondly that Mr. Hamlett will be nominated for Governor by his party in 1919. The Leader sincerely doubts the accuracy of Mr. Hamlett's vision as far as the coming election is concerned, but it will take great pleasure in assisting him in every possible way to bring about his nomination for Governor on the Democratic ticket four years from now.

Mr. Hamlett's office is not the only one connected with the present administration of affairs at Frankfort which offers an inviting field for examination and discussion, but it is well to complete one task before entering upon another.

The last chapter refers to the issuing of life certificates to common school teachers who had been in office twenty years or more.

The last Legislature authorized the Superintendent of Public Instruction to issue these certificates, but made no provision for any expense whatever in connection therewith. Superintendent Hamlett, however, proceeded to charge these veteran teachers \$5.00 per certificate to cover "clerical expenses."

This was a pretty heavy charge for clerical expenses for such a simple duty. Mr. Hamlett appears to have school funds for various and sundry other expenses, but he felt compelled to call upon the teachers to hear this burden out of their meagre incomes. Later on, it is true he began refunding these fancy fees, but not until a great deal of complaint had been made about what seems to have been a species of extortion.

As suggested in the correspondence, should Mr. Hamlett be elected Secretary of State, and following his line of reasoning, he may take a notion for example to collect an extra fee from owners of automobiles for sending motor licenses by mail, instead of delivering them by hand, or something else just as ridiculous, whether the law so specifies or not. In other words Mr. Hamlett would have the government divided into four divisions, the Legislature, the Executive, the Judicial and the Superintendent-system of "rotating" may finally carry him along.

Mr. Hamlett also declares that it is nobody's business whether he pays \$2.00 a day or \$1.00 a day out of the State's funds for hotel accommodations.

This utterance is respectfully referred to the taxpayers of Kentucky "for such action as they may deem proper to take" on the morning of November 2nd, which will be election day. Lexington Leader.

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Report of Committee on Temperance.

The wisest and best informed men of all nations, leaders in Church and State have long recognized the beverage alcoholic liquor traffic, as the greatest existing curse to humanity. The (Czar of Russia) gave his testimony, with great emphasis to this fact, when, with one stroke of his pen, he banished the liquor traffic from his realm at the cost of the government of more than a million dollars a day, and, after this expensive prohibition had been tried a year in the midst of a costly, bloody conflict with Germany and Austria, the authentic statement is given out that he pays financially. David Lord George chancellor of the exchequer of England, said: We are fighting Germany Austria and drink and so far as I can see the greatest of these three deadly foes is drink."

The Anti-Saloon League of America, so wisely and well organized in every state in the Union, has tabulated some of the deadly work of the liquor traffic in the United States and has presented the church and the world some appalling facts, namely: This vampire, strong drink, is destroying the life of one

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adult for every eight minutes and breaking up one family for every hour, and leaving in its trail millions of its victims writhing in slavery, languishing in prisons, in insane asylums, in hospitals and in eternal death—a scene that should stir every Christian and true citizen of the nation to rise up with one accord and speedily drive this deadly enemy from the land.

We rejoice in the awakening of the churches in America to decisive action against this destroyer and that through the cooperative work of the Anti-Saloon League, the Woman's Christian Union and other temperance organizations extraordinary progress is being made toward a "saloonless nation and a stainless flag."

With the recent victory in South Carolina nineteen states are now enrolled in the dry column, and Ohio, Montana, South Dakota, Vermont and the territory of Alaska will vote on the state-wide prohibition in the next fourteen months. At least fifty per cent of the people of our nation and seventy one per cent of our entire territory is now under prohibition law. Of the one hundred twenty counties in Kentucky one hundred six are dry, and we believe that any fair test of the sentiment of the voters of the State will show an overwhelming majority in favor of State wide and nation wide prohibition and we heartily join in the cooperative effort of the united church, as represented in the Anti-Saloon League devoting our time, our services and our money to the work until this is accomplished.

The Board of Trustees, the Headquarters committee and Dr. N. A. Palmer, State Superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League have confronted, this year, a most complex and trying situation and dealt with it in a masterful manner. Great credit is due this unit. Great credit is due Dr. Palmer for his far-seeing, statesman-like leadership, in executing their policies.

This work of redeeming the State from rum's rule and ruin is as delicate and divine as the work of leading souls to Christ and requires the same Divine guidance and power.

Recognizing the necessity for the united effort of all temperance forces of the State we pledge our prayers, our sympathy and our cooperation to our faithful superintendent, Dr. Palmer, and his collaborators including our own Rev. John O. Smithson.

We recommend the reappointment of Messrs. C. F. Wimberly, U. G. Foote, A. P. Lyon, A. R. Kasey and T. L. Hulse to represent the Louisville Conference on the Board of Trustees. We also recommend the reappointment of the Rev. John O. Smithson as field secretary of the Anti-Saloon League.

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While approving of the billion-dollar loan as a means of "providing foreign credits in settlement of a trade balance estimated at over \$1,500,000,000," the Investment Bankers' Association of America, at their recent convention in Denver, did not hesitate to go on record as to the great disaster which Free-Trade was certain to bring upon the country but for the abnormal conditions created "through the enormous foreign demand for the products of American farms and factories and the resulting increased demand for labor." These plain statements of fact are embodied in the resolutions adopted by the convention. It is well that the truth should come from so authoritative a source. The bankers well know that, as their resolutions recite, at the time the European war broke out this country was threatened with a "financial and industrial crisis of an almost unparalleled nature." And after the war ends we shall have such a crisis in full force unless a Protective tariff comes to the rescue.

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vs.
Chas. H. Whittier, Defendant.

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Tract 2, beginning at beginning corner of tract 1, then west 72 poles to a stone corner to H. C. Crow; then with this line S. 94 poles to two white oaks; then east 49 poles to J. B. Westerfield's corner; then with his line N. 10 E. 93 1/2 poles to the beginning, containing about 30 acres, and being part of the land conveyed to C. H. Whittier by Deella Whittier et al., by deed dated October 6, 1887, and of record in the Ohio county clerk's office deed book 5, page 491, or sufficient thereof to produce the sums of money ordered to be made.

The purchaser will be required to execute bond with approved security immediately after sale.

This 28th day of September, 1915.
ERNEST E. BIRKHEAD,
Master Commissioner.

HEAVIN & KIRK,
Attorneys.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

Stanley Shoots a Boomerang.
Mr. Stanley, in his Louisville speech, indulges in a wealth of ridicule at the expense of Hon. E. T. Franks for an alleged blunder in a quotation from Shakespeare. Perhaps Mr. Franks blundered in quoting the prince of English literature. We do not know. There are many slips of tongue in public addresses, but after all Shakespeare's plays, though a helpful, are not an indispensable factor in fitting one for the larger duties of life. But there is a book read, revered and honored of all men, and ignorance of which dishonors and discredits, the Holy Bible. In Mr. Stanley's coarse and vulgar tirade against Mr. Franks he shows his ignorance of a book mightier and holier than Shakespeare's. By a sort of irony of fate in criticizing a misquotation against Mr. Franks he shows his ignorance of the Holy

scriptures. Mr. Stanley says: "After utilizing the services of the lion, E. T. Franks, my accomplished friend, Mr. Edwin Morrow, can well be called the Goliath of the Republican party, for he has utilized as an offensive weapon the jawbone of an ass."

It will be news to most Bible readers to learn from Mr. Stanley that Goliath was the biblical character who slew the Philistines with the jawbone of the ass. We take it that in the nomenclature of drinks, cocktails, fizzes, highballs, and etc., Mr. Stanley is an adept but he errs when he takes a chance on quoting from the Holy Scriptures.—Kentucky Sun.

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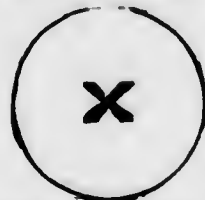
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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 8.



REPUBLICAN TICKET.

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For Lieutenant Governor—Lewis L. Walker.
For Secretary of State—James P. Lewis.
For Auditor of Public Accounts—Edward A. Weber.
For State Treasurer—Wm. A. Hunter.
For Clerk Court of Appeals—Earl C. Huntsman.
For Attorney General—T. B. McGregor.
For Superintendent of Public Instruction—R. P. Green.
For Commissioner of Agriculture, Labor and Statistics—William C. Hanna.
For R. R. Commissioner—C. M. Barnett.
For Circuit Judge—R. W. Slack.
For Commonwealth's Attorney—C. E. Smith.
For State Senator—Albert Leach.
For Representative—L. L. Embury.
For Circuit Court Clerk—Wallace M. Riley.

Looks like it is now up to Woodson to "go the limit."

Is it not about time for another announcement as to the prosperity wave?

One pleasant thing about the Rio Grande River is that it is not deep enough to accommodate submarines.

If Stanley don't keep away from bible stories, he is liable to make Goliath kill David with a "slung shot."

A vote for Slack and Smith for Circuit Judge and Commonwealth's Attorney, is a vote against a third term in office.

A vote for Morrow and the Republican state ticket is a vote against rotation in office and "invisible government at Frankfort."

Having answered the charges of graft against himself, replies you too. He no doubt forgets that he is asking for rotation.

As yet no dates have been fixed for the usual Bryan special through Kentucky in the interest of the Democratic State ticket.

It is not best for this country to trust its fate entirely to Thos. A. Edison. Some day Thomas will retire from the inventing business.

The invisible government, which Stanley denounced as having ruled Kentucky, is the same which he helped into power four years ago by his voice and vote.

One solution for the Mexican problem might be for the administration to promise to recognize the first leader to deliver his rivals at the border, gagged and bound.

No wonder "General Apathy" rules among the Democrats of Kentucky, according to the Central City Argus. Democrats like other people dislike to vote for third terms and rotators. They would like to be able to give a new man a job occasionally.

Offie James seems to think a letter from President Wilson, in favor of Stanley, might offset that 15,000 votes lost at the close of the late platform convention. The President is too busy to make a speech and

may not find time even to write a letter.

The registration in the various cities of Kentucky this week was very favorable to the Republicans. They made large gains throughout the State, notably in Louisville and Owensboro. The Progressive vote in Louisville, according to registration reports, has practically disappeared and will not be a factor in the general election.

The Editor of the Owensboro News-Herald, Frank H. Posey, was for several terms a member of Congress from the Evansville, Indiana district, and has held other high places of trust. He is a fine lawyer, but The Hartford Herald says that the charges made by the News against the Birkhead-Ringo primary are of two low an organ for notice by these honorable gentlemen. It in effect says that, because editor Posey is from Evansville his word should not be accepted against a Kentuckian who makes no denial.

In a lengthy editorial Wednesday the Courier-Journal threatens to come out for state wide prohibition in case Stanley is defeated for Governor. As is customary when an attempt is made on some special political line by these two Journals, the Times, the same day, also publishes the same article in prominent position. This is a plain attempt to drive all the liquor people into the Stanley camp, and probably also to squeeze them for still further slush funds. Just what effect this editorial may have on the temperance people in Kentucky remains to be seen. If by so doing they could bring to the side of State Wide the powerful influence of the Courier-Journal it may induce them to vote against Mr. Stanley.

The Hartford Herald comes very near getting mad because this paper points out some facts—facts which are not denied, mind you, in connection with the possum hunter cases in Ohio county, past and present. Now we cannot help a state or condition with which we had nothing to do. We did not send to the state press the strange and unmerited laudations of Judge Birkhead and Attorney Ringo—perhaps some one connected with the Herald did. But that don't change the truth, as given by us, that in a two weeks special term, called to rid the docket of possum hunter cases, only two possum hunter cases were tried at an expense to the state and to Ohio county of about \$3,000. Of course this comes from a source too lowly to be noticed or denied.

The Hartford Herald wants us to tell who "A Democrat" is. If the editor will meet us in our private office, behind locked door some morning, we will whisper his name in his ear. He will not want to publish it. It would be unfair for us to publish the name of the contributor who desired to use a non-de-plume. He no doubt desires the same protection furnished writers of numerous articles by the Herald, both for and against Judge Birkhead, before the primary under the head of "District Politics." We will even now, however furnish the Herald a pen picture of our correspondent. He is of flesh and blood. Favors fair primaries and is as much or more opposed to a "third term" than the Herald editor. He favors compelling a man to keep a solemn pledge made to the people not to run for a third term and, if necessary, will vote against the man who would violate such a pledge, in the general election. He does not believe that money should be permitted to outweigh brains, efficiency and worthiness, in the selection of our officials. This ought to do the Herald editor, because he would not recognize such a man on second meeting, even if we should give him a personal introduction.

The Hartford Herald in quoting from articles published in this paper three years ago, is giving its readers the first real independent political thought they have had in many years but in order to give them the very best benefit it should publish them in full. Do not garble them and do not credit us with something plainly credited to another paper. Of course you would not purposely do so, but you should send someone to our files who is competent to read dates. For instance you credit us with an article as published by us "Oct. 12, 1912." As a matter of free information to you, we published no paper on "Oct. 12, 1912." The article headed "Republican Party Sealed Its Own Doom," and which you gave the greatest space, was clipped from The Louisville Herald and credited to that paper in plain letters. Now we know you are a stickler for fair dealing and above all would not do injustice to a poor fellow suffering in the newspaper business, but in your all consuming desire to distract attention East, West, North, South, or even

backward, away from the stench of the late judicial district primary and the grave charges brought against your candidates for Judge and Commonwealth's Attorney touching their nominations you might at least, unintentionally, err. Now, our files are open to you in broad daylight and in order to avoid future little errors, such as crediting us with things we never said, we will assist you in making copies. In the meantime, will you not please, please give your readers the benefit of the question, directed to Judge Birkhead and Mr. Clements, as to whether they went into a saloon or saloons on Wednesday night before the August primary and then and there purchase liquor or other intoxicating drinks for various men who had attended a speaking at which Judge Glenn had been hooted, hissed and otherwise discourteously treated.

LID OFF IN LOUISVILLE.

Inspired by the whiskey record of the Democratic Candidate for Governor and knowing their own importance to the Democratic machine at the approaching election, the saloon keepers of Louisville have kicked the lid into the gutter and are more openly and fearlessly and flagrantly violating the Sunday Closing Law than since Mayor Ringham's crusade eight years ago.

There is usually a loosening up of the enforcement of the Sunday Closing Law here immediately preceding elections, but it has not for years been so flagrant as for the last two Sundays. A country man sent out here Sunday night to investigate this situation approached eight saloons and gained admittance to seven of them, and the eighth is notoriously an open Sunday saloon but was temporarily closed. Mr. Stanley's candidacy is bearing a natural fruit.

SIDE-STEPS ENTIRE ISSUE.

Under the head "Challenge Accepted," the Hartford Herald of this week prints a number of quotations from this paper three years ago, entirely on the question of the legality of the nomination of Mr. Taft for President. The quotations, if they show anything in light of what the Herald has been claiming, carry out the claims of the editor of this paper, that he is opposed to crooked methods in the nomination of candidates. Not one syllable of abuse was directed to any member of the Republican party. The actions of many members of the party were criticized as we saw it, then, and we have never had any occasion to change our mind. However, this is all in the dead past and does not concern the questions raised against the unfair methods used in the nomination of Messrs. Birkhead and Ringo, and the Hartford Herald will not be permitted to get away from the issue by going back three years to harp on the things then said by the editor of this paper, even though they are absolutely in line and keeping with his contentions now.

The vital question, and one not raised by this paper, is whether or not immense amounts of money was used by Judge Birkhead and Mr. Ringo in controlling the recent primary against Judge Glenn and Mr. Tanner, and the direct question which has been presented so often and neither answered nor denied by anyone is: "Did Judge Birkhead and Mr. Clements enter a saloon or saloons in Owensboro on Wednesday night before the primary election, and did either or both purchase drinks for various fellows who had mistreated Judge Glenn at a public speaking?" This question is again directed to the attention of the Hartford Herald, although it says such a charge is ridiculous, or its "origin is too low to be considered."

It makes no difference what the editor of this paper said three years ago or ten years ago. He was then opposed to crooked methods in making nominations and he is now opposed to such methods. He was then opposed to the purchase of votes to secure nominations whether it occurs in a party with which he affiliates or some other party. He is still opposed to bribery in elections. It will be noticed that the Herald dropped the question of refusal to publish letters, like a hot potato. Its columns were to full of quotations from this paper printed three years ago, to tell why it refused Dr. E. W. Ford space a short time before the August primary, to discuss matters of vital importance to the voters of Ohio County, then and now. Its columns were too full of quotations from this paper, three years ago, to publish the question we requested them to put before their readers, concerning the saloon episode in Owensboro. It could not find space to notice our challenge to drop candidates from the list, in both papers, who were accused of wrong doing or crookedness in the recent primary election, who would not make a denial of same.

The Herald is welcome to all the quotations it may get out of quotations from this paper, but it is mis-

taken if it thinks it is deceiving the people by so doing, instead of making a manly square fight in defense of certain candidates of its party instead. This paper, under its present management, proposes to speak out upon all occasions in favor of better things and against the things which corrupt and lower the standard of good citizenship. The Herald may do as it likes. If it suits it to sink behind a nomination no matter what the charges may be as to the manner of securing such nomination, by declaring the source from which the charges came are beneath notice, it suits us. We prefer to stand for the right no matter whom it hurts. Our position three years ago was not a pleasant one for us, but was taken from conviction. A thing which does not seem to exist down in the Herald office. It is much easier to float with the tide and politically to support whatever is presented than to manifest a spirit of independence and stand for that which we conceive to be right and for the best interest of the people.

Free-Trade in the Discard.

The British Chancellor of the Exchequer has thrown his Free-Trade theories to the dogs and recommended an increase in Tariff duties in order to raise more money for the war. He proposes other taxes, but the higher Tariff is the most significant, for he says that "if by taxation we can restrict imports, reduce consumption and bring revenue, we shall have found the ideal fiscal system."

If he would omit the second of his three characteristics of an ideal system, or revise it so as to call for development of national industries, he would have created a formula which the soundest Protectionist could not improve.

The Protective tariff differs from all other taxes in that it serves a double purpose. It produces revenue for the Government and it produces work at high wages for the people. It keeps in the country a greater portion of the wealth produced than any other taxation system ever devised. Old-fashioned British theories have to be abandoned in this great crisis, when expedients that will raise real money must be found lest the Nation perish.—Philadelphia Evening Ledger.

Do You Pay Less for Anything?

Did Underwood and the framers of the Free-Trade Tariff ever promise you that Free-Trade would raise your wages? No. They and everybody knows that there is no earthly chance for Free-Trade to raise wages; you might just as well try to change the laws of gravitation and get water to run up hill. On the other hand, it is possible for wages to be raised when we have a Protective Tariff. Did they promise us that Free-Trade would be the cause of more factories being built? No, because they know any schoolboy would know better. Did they promise us that more sugar plantations would be opened up if sugar was placed on the free list? No, because they know there is not an inmate of the "long house" at Tusculum who would believe it. Their main promises were that the high cost of living would be lowered, but did that dream come true? Do you pay less for your sugar now? Do you pay less for your flour? Do you pay less for anything? Yet the Sugar Trust, the Meat Trust and all other trusts are growing rich because of the additional profits which the Underwood Tariff gives them.—Cincinnati (A.L.A.) Courier.

NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS:

As required by the law, the taxpayers must meet the Sheriff at his appointments and pay their tax. Also after this round we are required to garnishee or levy unpaid poll tax. I or one of my deputies will meet you at the following places: Friday, Oct. 8—Herbert, Olaton. Saturday, Oct. 16—Heaver Dam, Cool Springs. Sunday, Oct. 23—Prentiss, Rockport.

Tuesday, Oct. 26—Bell's Run. Wednesday, Oct. 27—Huford morning. Today, afternoon. Thursday, Oct. 28—Heflin. Saturday, Oct. 30—Dundee. Tuesday, Nov. 2—Centertown. Thursday, Nov. 4—Matanzas, Rosine. Friday, Nov. 5—Smallhouse, morning. Ceralvo, afternoon. Saturday, Nov. 6—Cromwell, McHenry. Monday, Nov. 8—Arnold. Tuesday, Nov. 9—Select. Wednesday, Nov. 11—Narrows. Saturday, Nov. 13—Fordsville, Simmons.

Remember six per cent penalty, interest and cost will be added December 1st. Please don't wait till last day.

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Don't worry about sewing. Come to us and we will dress you from head to foot at a very low price.

Don't forget this, and remember that IT PAYS TO TRADE WITH A HOUSE THAT SAVES YOU MONEY.

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Hartford Republican.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 8.

L. H. & ST. L. R. R. TIME TABLE.
No. 113 due at Ellimitch 8:32 p. m.
No. 110 due at Ellimitch 7:30 a. m.
No. 112 Lv. Ellimitch 3:40 p. m.
Ar. Irvington 5:35 p. m.
Lv. Irvington 5:56 p. m.
Ar. Louisville 7:40 p. m.
No. 111 Lv. Louisville 8:35 a. m.
Ar. Irvington 10:06 a. m.
Lv. Irvington 10:40 a. m.
Ar. Ellimitch 1:04 p. m.

M. H. & E. R. R. TIME TABLE.
South Bound, No. 115—
Due at Hartford 8:45 a. m.
North Bound, No. 111—
Due at Hartford 6:15 p. m.
(Both "Mixed Trains.")

For American wire Fence, call on H. S. Carson.

For Ship Stuff and feeding Oats see Acton Bros.

Rubber Roofing and Paint can be had at Acton Bros.

Mrs. J. B. Taylor, Louisville, is the guest of relatives in town.

Mrs. W. C. Owensboro is the guest of relatives in town.

Mrs. Mollie Duncan, Owensboro, is the guest of Mrs. D. B. Brown.

Ellis Milling Co. guarantee every sack of their Blue Ribbon Flour.

For big bargains in Real Estate see Holbrook & Parks, Hartford, Ky.

Mrs. Lula Coppage has returned from a visit to relatives at Leitchfield.

To keep warm and save fuel buy you a Hot Blast Heater from Acton Bros.

Mrs. Julia Mitchell of Owensboro is the guest of relatives and friends here.

Mrs. Lottie Baird, Beaver Dam, is spending a few days with relatives in Hartford.

For Cook Stoves, Ranges, Coal Heaters, Wood Heaters and Grates call on Acton Bros.

YOU WILL MISS A GREAT SPEECH IF YOU FAIL TO HEAR MORROW MONDAY.

Farmers, bring your wheat to the Ellis Milling Co's mill and get some of the best flour made.

Mr. Lee Robertson left Monday for Hartford, Ky., where he has accepted a position.

The Green Front is the place to do your trading in the grocery line. Nothing old on our shelves.

W. E. Ellis & Bro. have three ply of Clover Seed and other field seeds to sell at reasonable prices.

I have 40 acres of good pasture for rent. Just across the river on the Owensboro pike. R. B. MARTIN.

The editor is indebted to Mrs. J. T. Davis, Sunnyside, for a jar of most delicious strawberry preserves.

HEAR E. P. MORROW AT THE COURT HOUSE, HARTFORD MONDAY, OCT. 11TH, ONE O'CLOCK P. M.

Mrs. John T. Moore who has been the guest of her mother Mrs. Ross, returned to her home at Elizabethtown Monday.

For good fresh groceries call at the Green Front, and see your old friend Estill Thomas. Otherwise "Tup" Thomas.

Mrs. C. E. Rogers, who has been the guest of her parents, Capt. and Mrs. S. K. Cox, returned to her home in Elkton Monday.

Mrs. G. A. Foote, who has been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Bircher, returned to her home in Irvington yesterday.

Mrs. B. F. Fleckenor will leave next Monday for Bowling Green to represent the local Seaside Star Chapter at the State meeting.

Miss Myrtle Maddox has returned to her home in Beaver Dam after spending several days with her sister, Mrs. W. C. Blankenship.

Mr. Heber Matthews has returned home from a visit to his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ray A. Sommers, of Washington, D. C.

E. P. MORROW, REPUBLICAN NOMINEE FOR GOVERNOR WILL SPEAK AT HARTFORD MONDAY OCT. 11, AT 1 O'CLOCK P. M.

Mr. Alford has moved from the Griffin property to the property of Mr. J. W. Fords, on Union St. recently occupied by Mr. Charlie Turner.

Mrs. F. H. Allen, who is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Jno. B. Wilson, has gone to her old home at Hawesville to attend the funeral of a friend.

Misses Marjann Holbrook and Lucile Pirtle, Hartford, and Mr. Claude McKinney, Beaver Dam, were the guests of Mr. Robert Pirtle and family, Owensboro, Wednesday.

You will find our prices right and our service prompt.

at the Green Front grocery. Telephone your orders and your wants will be promptly served. Home phone No. 43.

Thieves broke into Cooper Bros. store at Beaver Dam, Tuesday night and stole about fifteen suits of clothes and a lot of shoes. The loss is about \$300, with no clue to the robbers. The same night the Post office was broken into but there was no loss.

Miss Marjann Holbrook, will leave Sunday for Louisville where she will take an extensive course in vocal and instrumental music.

The first Lyceum number was given Monday night at College Hall. Dr. Arthur Walwyn Evans was the entertainer and those who heard him were highly pleased.

Public Speaking Dates.
Judge R. W. Slack and Hon. C. E. Smith and other Republican candidates in Ohio County:

Tuesday, Oct. 12, Magna at 7:00 p. m.

Wednesday, Oct. 13, Rosine, at 7:00 p. m.

Thursday, Oct. 14, Dundee, 7:00 p. m.

Friday, Oct. 15, Cromwell, 7:00 p. m.

Saturday, Oct. 16, Fordsville, 1:30 p. m.

Other prominent speakers will be present at all these meetings. The public is cordially invited. Other speaking dates will be announced later on.

Hon. E. P. Morrow will speak at Hartford on Monday, Oct. 11, at 1:30 and at Melleny at 7:00 p. m. Monday night.

On Saturday, Oct. 23 at 1:00 p. m. there will be a big Republican rally at Batzertown. There will be music and speaking and flagraising.

Col. E. B. Poye, of Owensboro will be the chief speaker of that occasion.

Ohio County Republican Campaign Committee.

A. D. KIRK, Ch'm'n.
W. S. TINSLEY, Sec.

New Coal Mine.

To our friends and the Public: We have opened up a 6 ft. vein of fine quality coal on the Taylor lands, 1 1/2 miles east of Beaver Dam, on Cromwell road, are now prepared to fill orders for block, lump and nut coal. Teams from Hartford will turn left at Cromwell road and look for finger board at Brown farm.

Have a quality of rusty coal from the opening will sell cheap.

We respectfully ask your patronage.

1314 **NEIGHBOR BROS.**

Death of Fells Neoma Burton.

Fellis Neoma Burton, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. J. L. Burton, former pastor of Leitchfield, Ky., but now of Earlington, Ky., was born in the parsonage of Beecher City, Illinois, Nov. 16th, 1910. Departed this life Sept. 26th, 1915.

She was greatly loved by her many friends at Leitchfield, Ky., who mourn her loss.

She died at the home of her grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Harris at Render Ky. Her illness was very short, and her death came as a great shock to everyone.

She has many friends at Render and everywhere she was known, for she was a bright sweet and lovable little character.

The parents are stricken with grief. She leaves besides her parents one brother and two sisters, Robbie, Fay and Fairy Burton.

The funeral services were conducted by Rev. R. W. Huntsman, of Beaver Dam, Ky. The interment was at Render Cemetery.

New Fall Millinery.

Miss Popple Nall has just returned home from Chicago where she has made further extensive studies of the latest styles and designs in millinery and will take orders at her home from her customers and friends for anything in Fall Millinery. 1314

Morning Lights.

The Kentucky Light and Power Co. announces that in a few days their patrons will have the benefit of lights from 4 a. m. until daylight. This will be a great convenience to many people who have occasion to be up early.

If the people of Pittsburgh can't find any other way to make Pittsburgh absolutely smokeless, they might vote for Free-Trade. Free-Trade puts the fires out of all the factories, and then, of course, there is no smoke.

Notices.

All persons having claims against the estate of J. W. Coleman, deceased, of Pinchesburg, present same to L. E. Arbuckle at Cromwell on or before Nov. 15, 1915.

SERGT. HOOVER GOES TO FLORIDA

Member of Co. H. Makes Kentucky State Rifle Team.

The State rifle team which was selected at Earlington last week left for Jacksonville last Saturday night. The team was composed of the best fifteen shots who participated in the company team matches and the Government match. The matches at Jacksonville will probably last until the 24th of this month.

To be a member of the Kentucky team is quite an honor. Sergt. Hoover won out by shooting with an even consistency during the whole course. At 1000 yd. range, where so many good shots were eliminated, he held up well enough to get in the squad of thirty from which the team was selected by shooting over the course again. The team was to include six officers and nine enlisted men and only sixteen enlisted men made the squad of thirty, so Hoover had only seven men to beat. He beat nine of them and is now enjoying the warm sunshine down on the St. Johns river.

The First California Gold.

James W. Marshall, a New Jersey carpenter and millwright who had three years before drifted to the California wilderness, walked out of his solitary cabin at a lodging camp in the foothills of the Sierras for a Sunday afternoon stroll on January 19, 1848. He had well nigh fulfilled his contract with Captain John A. Sutter for building a saw mill on the south fork of American River, in Coloma Valley, some forty miles northeast of Sacramento. It was to be a partnership mill, Captain Sutter, a prosperous German immigrant, to furnish the necessary funds and James Marshall, the contractor, to select and prepare a proper sight and build the structure.

The millrace and its gates had been put in working condition, and in order that the channel might be widened and deepened and all loose dirt and the other debris washed away from the bedrock at the bottom of the canal. Marshall had, on Saturday evening before, opened the sluice gates to their full capacity and in a few minutes the water had flowed incessantly through the newly dug trench all night, he had shut the gates at daybreak.

The New Jersey wheelwright was a conscientious man and would not work on Sunday, as had been a former custom among the lumber camps of the wooded Sierras, and he walked down the direction of the mill on that Sunday afternoon to examine the ditch, to find out if enough earth and loose rubble had been swept away to leave the millrace clear. He soon noted that the rushing stream during the night's run had cut out the sides of the groove considerably, and had dug deep into the bottom, and while enlarging the race, the water had carried down and spread out at the end of the ditch which was some fifty rods long, a great mass of gravel and sand.

Sliding down the steep bank into the bottom, Marshall walked along the race on the jagged and uneven bedrock. Suddenly he observed hundreds of shining yellow metallic flakes, lying scattered about here and there in about six inches of water, the numerous and tiny glittering points in the decomposed granite dashing vividly in the reflected sunlight.

Bending down and picking up one of the shiny objects about the size of a wheat grain, and of a brassy hue he examined it closely and found it in all respects to resemble gold. Other tiny bits were investigated, then taking up a still larger nugget of the same yellowish metal, one about as large around as a ten-dollar gold coin, he noticed. It appeared soft, bright and heavy, and his heart throbbed wildly at the unexpected find. Some doubt yet existed in his mind as to whether the supposed treasure really was gold, or only mica, or copper, or some other sort of metal of nominal value.

After turning the compact lump over and over in his hand, inspecting it attentively, the finder scraped it with his horny nails, then he put it between his teeth and bit it hard, and finally placed it under a boulder and with a rock hammered it flat. Thoroughly convinced by this time that his find was gold, Marshall ran back to the cabin and yelled to the idle workmen, "Boys, I've struck it! No such good luck as that," was the derisive reply. He was at once ridiculed by his fellow workmen, and for days after he was regarded as a miserably deluded fellow.

A Car Load of WIRE FENCE AT A BARGAIN!

Our special on 48 in. fence, 12 in. stay, 27c Rod
" " " 32 in. " 12 in. " 22c "
" " " 48 in. " 6 in. " 33c "
" " " 26 in. " 6 in. " 24c "

Any one buying 100 rods and over, 1 cent extra off on above prices. All other heights of fence at prices in proportion to prices given. This sale lasts 60 days only. Come at once.

Williams & Fentress,

BEAYER DAM, KY.

ing stock of the camp.

He was altogether ignorant about gold formation, yet Marshall's faith in his new found treasure was not shattered, for in a few days he quietly handed his largest nugget, which weighed about seventeen grains, to Mrs. Wimmer, a woman who had been doing the cooking for the men at the lumber camp; she hotted it in a decoction of strychnine for a test, but it was fished out unstrained. Then the owner dipped it in vinegar in prison on its color. At last he sent it to a mining expert miles away, who, after making an assay, reported the nugget to be nothing less than pure gold. Meantime Marshall had talked very little, but had busied himself with gathering similar surface nuggets in all the surrounding gulches, finding some fair specimens above ground, and many others wherever he chanced to dig, until had accumulated quite an interesting collection of the precious metal.

After the favorable report from the gold assay, information of the new discovery began to circulate, in spite of Captain Sutter's efforts to suppress it, and in April a local newspaper chanced to publish an account of the fortunate incident, many other papers in the East copying the happy tidings.

News of the momentous occurrence spread like wildfire and in a few months' time glowing accounts of the lucky find had been published in many parts of the world. And by the time the summer season had fairly set in the whole country knew that gold had been discovered in California. With this mighty secret of the Sierras fully disclosed, there began a westward rush that has rarely been equaled by any public stampede in any country in the world.

San Francisco was at that time a mere village, having a population of barely four hundred souls, and by the middle of June fully three-fourths of the male inhabitants of that town had already hiked off to the gold fields. All other little towns in the West were soon likewise deserted, and before a great while every able-bodied man and boy seemed busy digging for gold. Mines were soon staked out over a territory covering a hundred miles of country.

Meantime Captain Sutter's workmen had acquired the "gold fever" and had all left him, and his unfinished mill remained as it was. His bountiful harvest was never gathered even his tannery at the fort forty miles further westward, was deserted causing a quantity of fine leather in the vats to spoil. Fields were left half planted, houses half built, everything was neglected except the manufacture of shovels and picks; real estate and all other property, save mining tools and provisions, fell to amazingly low figures. Spades and shovels, however, which had been worth less than a dollar a piece a short time before, were now selling readily for ten dollars at the mines.

It was at the beginning of the next year (1849) that the mad rush to the diggings was at high tide. By that time the news of the California gold discovery had reached the remotest parts of the East. Thousands of farmers instantly quit their plows, hundreds of mechanics dropped their tools, hosts of clerks left their employers without notice, multitudes of doctors, lawyers, teachers and men of every profession left their offices and homes and families to seek their fortunes in the wild and unknown West. Some chose the tedious voyage of sailing nineteen thousand miles around Cape Horn, many more made the five thousand mile trip by way of the Isthmus of Panama, while upwards of forty-two thousand ambitious Americans from the far Eastern States made their way across the untrodden plains in search of fortune during the summer, enduring untold sufferings from hunger, thirst and vicious attacks by hostile Indians. Towns sprang up like magic in districts where gold was being found.

Pick, pan and shovel, the wheelbarrow, the rocker, the string of sluice boxes, the flume the old-fashioned ground-sluices were all put immediately into action, and all the busy diggings fairly hummed with activity.

In those strenuous and exciting days the eager miners were far too busy in the treasure scramble to await coinage of money, and for several years gold dust was a regular circulating medium at all city stores, as well as every where in the mining districts throughout the West.

The tremendous westward migration of "forty-niners" to the gold fields of California is of course a historic incident with which all readers are somewhat familiar, but the privations endured and the intense sufferings heroically borne by so many travelers from the East can never be fully described.

Marshall's wonderful discovery was made just two weeks before the treaty of peace with Mexico was effected, and two years later, owing mainly to this singular incident, California was admitted as a State of the Union. In the space of only four years the territory now embracing the 'Golden State' was changed from a barren wilderness, inhabited chiefly by a few Spaniards and Indians, to a powerful American commonwealth. And during a single decade adventurers from every quarter of the earth had poured into the population of California had multiplied ten times.

Prior to the year 1848 the entire United States had produced then less than twelve million dollars in gold since the discovery of America. During the space of the following five years after Marshall's discovery in California, that State alone yielded over \$258,000,000 in gold, as much as eighty-five million being produced in one year.

For upwards of thirty years the Society of California Pioneers regularly celebrated the 19th day of January as the anniversary of the date of Marshall's great discovery in that State. It seems rather singular, and I might say unfair, that James W. Marshall, the one man responsible for the mighty rush to the western gold diggings, died a poor man at Coloma, where he found his first nugget, and where today a modest shaft marks his last resting place. Captain Sutter also, who had been immensely wealthy before, passed away at Washington City some years since after having lost all his worldly effects.

Dissolution Notice.

Notice is hereby given that it is the intention of the Pottsville Mutual Telephone Co. (Inc.) to dissolve its corporation at once. All claims should be presented to the undersigned officers for consideration.

RUFUS DOWELL, Pres.
WALTER WALKER, Sec. & Treas.
Sept. 15, 1915. 1014

If It Were Not For The War.

The papers say that the iron industry is on a rampage and that pig iron is now selling at \$11.50 to \$12 per ton. That is good. It is almost as if it was under a Protective Tariff when it was selling at \$13 per ton. You know Europe is now taking about all the iron and steel we can get out, and it is all being turned into war material. If it were not for the war iron would be less than \$9 a ton and three-fourths of the furnaces would be idle. You know it as well as we do, if you know anything. Collinsville (Ala.) Courier.

For Sale Cheap.

We have a 2 acre lot near McHenry and Simmons unimproved to offer at a bargain. A good two 16 foot room house, barn smoke house and good well of water. One half mile of church and school house. Would make a fine poultry farm.

For terms call on or address BARNETT & SON, Hartford, Ky.

REPUBLICAN PLATFORM.

The Republican party in Kentucky in convention assembled adopts the following platform:

(1) We approve the policies of the National Republican party in providing for the defense of our coasts against foreign invasion, and the protection of American industry against the pauper labor of foreign countries without imposing unnecessary or unjust burdens upon the consumer. We favor the nomination for the Presidency of a candidate who is in accord with those policies, and is abreast of the spirit of progress required by ever changing condition.

(2) We condemn the inefficiency of the administration at Washington, its inadequate tariff law and its tax in times of peace, which have resulted in the closing of factories, the stagnation of business and the enforced idleness of millions of workmen.

We demand the redistricting of Kentucky in legislative, senatorial, congressional and judicial districts, which shall give equal representation and equal voting power to every citizen of every district, in conformity with the plain requirements of the Constitution, and not as at present, in flagrant violation thereof.

(3) We demand the repeal of the present infamous primary law formed for the purpose of preventing freedom of choice to the voter, and favor the enactment of a law which shall permit party nominations for judicial offices without regard to the party affiliation of the candidates so that the judiciary may be chosen on non-partisan grounds, and the continuance in office of judicial public servants may be determined by no other qualification than that of fitness.

We favor amendment to State laws permitting and encouraging joint nominations of the same candidate by the different parties. We demand the repeal of the law providing for registration certificates imposed upon the State by the Democratic party for immoral political purposes, whereby votes in Kentucky have become negotiable instruments, passing by delivery.

(4) We demand that the public schools of the State shall be taken and kept entirely out of politics, and that the interests and welfare of the children shall have first consideration in all public school matters. We call for better schools and schoolhouses, for longer school terms in the country and better pay for the teachers.

We also favor extending the aid of the State to its institutions for higher education.

(5) There should be complete publicity concerning the expenditure of money for political campaigns, and a law should be passed for the accounting by candidates and campaign managers of all sums of money collected for political purposes.

(6) We demand the enactment of a law providing for bi-partisan control of the penal and charitable institutions, and for the abolition of convict labor, and we endorse the Constitutional Amendment providing for convict labor on public roads and highways, insofar as the same may be done without injury to free, or organized labor.

(7) Realizing the influence of good roads on the economic, educational, social and religious development of the State, we pledge ourselves that the present law, introduced by a Republican, authorizing State aid, shall be carried out, and the building of permanent highways throughout the State by a system guaranteeing to the people an honest expenditure of their money, shall be encouraged.

(8) We favor further legislation for the protection of labor from unnecessary bodily injury, and we favor the enactment of a fair and equitable workmen's compensation law.

(9) We favor giving to the Railroad Commission power to regulate public utilities of the State.

(10) We favor the passage of laws which shall make effective constitutional provision against the issuance of free passage to officials.

(11) We oppose double taxation, and will favor a thorough revision of the tax laws which will equally distribute the burdens of taxation, reduce the rate and not only retain the capital now invested, but invite the investment of other capital in the State. We favor the adoption by the people of the Constitutional Amendment enlarging the power of the General Assembly on the matter of taxation, and when such additional law is passed make it effective only when submitted to, and approved by a majority of the people who vote upon the same. We favor such regulation by law as will consolidate assessment and collection of taxes, so that the cost of collection may be materially reduced.

(12) We condemn the enactment by the Democratic party of a large number of obnoxious laws, the creation of expensive offices and commissions, and the wasteful and extravagant expenditure of money, and we propose, if given power, to repeal all such laws, to abolish superfluous offices and reduce the cost of administration to the least possible point consistent with an economical and efficient system of government.

(13) Realizing the importance to the State of the prosperity of the farmers, we heartily approve of their legal efforts to secure better prices for the products of their farms, and pledge ourselves to assist them in all legal ways.

(14) For economic, as well as humane reasons, we recommend that the State of Kentucky undertake to supplement and later to continue the work of the United States Public Health Service for the prevention of blindness from trachoma, a communicable and painful disease of the eye, from which the last census report shows that 23,000 persons are suffering in a single section of the State.

(15) We call attention to the vast resources of our State as yet undeveloped and invite capital and labor into the State to develop such resources.

(16) Expressly reserving the right of all Republicans to vote upon the question of woman's suffrage as they see fit we favor the adoption by the next General Assembly of a resolution submitting this question to the people for decision at the election of November, 1917.

(17) The Republican party in Kentucky is responsible and deserves the credit for this county unit law. In 1907 we declared definitely for the local option law with the county as the governing unit. In 1911 we again declared for the county unit law in accordance with the Constitution. We now declare our continued adherence to the county unit law, and we do hereby endorse the present county unit law of Kentucky, and we pledge ourselves to its strict and rigid enforcement, and we favor the adoption of such amendments thereto as may be necessary to make it effective beyond question.

Changing The Subject.

Vice President Marshall has issued an interview appealing to the people not to discuss "the old fashioned brand of politics" during the existence of a grave international situation.

Yes, indeed, "old fashioned politics" calls up the disagreeable recollection of those platform pledges about reducing the high cost of living, protecting the rights of American citizens abroad, giving free tolls to American vessels passing through the Panama Canal, cutting national expenditures, etc., etc.

Can you wonder that Vice President Marshall, along with every Democratic politician in the country, wants the people to quit talking about the domestic issues, and fix their eyes on the war in Europe? They even talk as if this country were at war, and that it is part of the terrible disaster with the Democratic party right now.

The future of the American people is in the United States and not in Europe. The people need a sample of what Democratic domination in national affairs means in time of profound peace before the European

war began. They saw a vast army of the unemployed enrolled in the industrial centers of the United States. They saw and read and heard the record of national disaster that accompanied the turning out of the boasted new freedom. They are too patriotic to condemn this country to four years more of soup and rags merely because Europe has on its hands a war with which we have no more legitimate to do than with the Balkan war. Did you ever hear anyone going about the country trying to make a war hero out of Mr. Taft because he kept this country out of the Balkan war? Certainly Mr. Marshall never did anything of the kind.

"Forget the issues that concern you and think of those that effect Europe" is the Democratic war cry at present. It is a confession of the collapse of the Democratic domestic issues. The Democratic politicians know the kind of a verdict the people have prepared on their record of wreck and ruin in the United States, and they are trying hard to change the subject. Their conversation may affect a few of the unthinking, but it doesn't go down with people of common sense.

HANGED, BUT NEVER BURNED

Popular Idea of Treatment of New England "Witch" is Altogether a Delusion.

Paying its respects to the "New England conscience" as a ghost that will not down, the New York Herald revives a myth that will not down when it says: "At such wholesome sport as witch-burning the New England conscience was never known to shy."

There were a score or so of individuals hanged in connection with the Salem witchcraft delusion, but none was burned. Yet the popular tradition persists, and no doubt will live on when even Gallows hill itself is forgotten. Trevelyan said in substance that though a mistake of history may die out, if it has survived 160 years it can never be corrected. Certainly all the documentary proof to the contrary has not served to correct this particular myth in more than two centuries and doubtless it will be believed while the Sacred Cod hangs in the state house at Boston.

In no branch of historical research has there lately been more painstaking work than in dispelling the inaccuracies of "popular" history—in giving new certificates of character to Nero, muckraking the Fathers of the Republic and removing the halos from the great. Yet the more the record is set straight the more the old myths endure.

DARK DAYS IN ALL LIVES

Can Be Only Temporary, and Cheering Thought is That the Sun Will Shine Again.

How cheering it is to see the sun come out after days of storm and cloud. All the while the weather is gloomy you know that the sun will shine out again in his glory, with fresh strength and life. It is like a gift newly bestowed on the earth.

So in life there come stormy days and dark days. Remember that they will pass just as surely; they cannot last forever. You are disappointed in something, and perhaps that particular wish for joy will never come to you. But it may be that something else just as good is on the way, something even better. It may be. Sorrow and disappointment are assuaged with time, and other things enter into life that make it good, even as the clouds break up and float away and the softer light shines through at sunset. So there is always a worse that might have been.

The dark days are for introspection; for remembering that few troubles are as heavy as they seem. Sunny days, better things, are at hand that will come with cheer and healing like the welcome rays of the sun.—Milwaukee Journal.

Nevel Danish Eel Farm.

A novel Danish development is the eel farm at Nevelen, on Zealand Island. A piece of lowland along the Ise Fjord has been converted into a pond of 422 acres, averaging two feet in depth, and equipment has been provided for pumping into the naturally brackish water a supply of fresh water from an adjacent canal, or salt water from the fjord.

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For stocking the farm the elvers are trapped as they arrive in the early spring. To get ripe, fully grown eels for the market salt water from the fjord is pumped into special boxes, and this attracts the matured individuals, whose instincts call to salt water.

The output of 1912 was about 13,000 pounds.

Solving a Problem.

The arithmetic lesson that day had been hard and trying, and now, at the closing hour, Tommy stood before the teacher, waiting to hear results.

"Your last problem was wrong, was the verdict. 'You will have to stay after school and do it again.'"

Tommy looked at the clock. "Tell me, please, how much am I out?" he asked.

"Your answer is two cents short," Tommy's hand dived into the pocket where his most treasured possessions were stored. Swiftly he separated two pennies from a bunch of shoestrings, a penknife and some marbles and pieces of chalk.

"I'm in a hurry, please," he said; "if you don't mind, I'll pay the difference."—Pittsburgh Chronicle Telegraph.

To Avoid "Colds."

"A few points to remember if you would avoid taking cold: Never go directly from a very warm atmosphere into very cold air. Don't jump from an overheated room into an ice-cold bed on a sleeping porch. Remove your wraps when shopping indoors on a cold day or when visiting. Don't bundle up the throat, but don't expose the whole chest. Seventy degrees should be the highest temperature in your living rooms or offices. Don't overexert, then expose yourself to infection in a draft or in a hot room that is probably full of disease germs. Keep your vitality at par, avoid people with bad colds, and you will probably get through the bad seasons with not more than a sniffle or so."—Kansas City Star.

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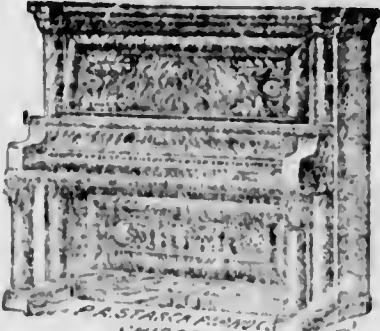
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GREAT SESSION OF CONFERENCE

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colored people were addressed by Rev. W. R. Wagner at the colored Methodist church. Most of the ministers and delegates left for their homes Monday afternoon.

The conference adjourned Monday at noon. Most of the business had been disposed of at Saturday's session and for the final session there remained only one or two committee reports and the reading of the conference appointments for the ensuing year. After financial reports had been made, resolutions of thanks for the hospitality of Hartford had been adopted and just before the twentieth annual session of the conference was brought to a close with the benediction by Bishop Atkins, the appointments for the various pastors for the coming year were announced.

Owensboro District.

J. T. Rushing, Presiding Elder, Beaver Dam, W. C. Frank, Calhoun, E. K. May, Center town, J. B. Rayburn, Central City, B. F. Adkinson, Cloverport, Paul S. Powell, Drakesboro, F. E. Lewis, Dundee, J. C. Vanhey, Fordsville, G. W. Sugart, Greenville Station, J. R. McFee, Greenville Circuit, L. M. Russell, Hartford, B. W. Napier, Haysville, P. T. Howard, Lewisburg, W. L. Shell, Lewisport, P. C. Duvall, Livermore, R. L. Tally, Maceo, W. S. Buckner, North Hartford, J. L. Joyce, Owensboro—Breckinridge St., R. H. Higgins, Owensboro Circuit, C. E. Hartford, Owensboro—Settle Memorial, J. R. Savage, Owensboro—Third street, M. L. Dyer, Owensboro—Woodlawn, R. C. McDowell, Rochester, To be supplied, Stanley, G. Y. Wilson, Sacramento, H. F. Higgins, South Carrollton and Island, M. H. Alexander, Stephensport, Chas. Gentry.

At an unexpected time in the proceedings Rev. U. G. Foote, of Louisville, arose and addressing the Bishop, said: "We have enjoyed our stay here in Hartford very much. We have been well cared for and are thankful to the good people. However, we wanted to show our appreciation to one in a more substantial way. Will you, please stand up." (The modest but energetic pastor of the local church and also very energetic master of ceremonies arose plainly blushing and embarrassed.) We were determined that this Zachary should have more substantial recognition than mere resolutions. We, and that means nearly every member of this conference, thought well to make a presentation to him. We have heard the little birds whispering through the trees something of interest in connection with the text, "It is not well for man to be alone" but we did not think it well to anticipate. So our gift is not of silver or of gold but this Bible, this hymnal and this book of discipline nicely bound in full morocco." Suggesting the action to the word Dr. Foote then handed the volumes to ward Rev. Napier and Bishop Atkins reached out and took them and passed them on saying "Let the gifts go through my hands as an evidence of my fullest endorsement."

Rev. Mr. Napier responded saying, "There are hours too sacred for speech. This is a time of that kind. I appreciate very much this generous gift." (Continued on page four.)

What I am doing here for you is a very pleasing task if I may call

it a task at all and I assure you that the memory of it, and of this gift, will always be a sweet one to me."

A very enjoyable feature of the conference was the singing of Mrs. Ray Armstrong, of Leitchfield, Ky. Too much cannot be said of Mrs. Armstrong's culture, voice, and Bishop Atkins made a decided hit when he invited her to a solo.

Resolutions.

Your Committee on resolutions presents the following for your adoption.

In no formal or accustomed language of thanks would we chronicle our stay in Hartford or the rich Christian hospitality which has been extended to us by the large hearted citizenship. We believe that future years will show that the twentieth session of the Louisville Conference was notable in many ways. It has been notable in being the septuageth of the conference, having rounded out here its three score and ten years.

It has been notable in its entertainment by the good people of Hartford, Beaver Dam and vicinity. Here we have enjoyed a quiet, refined, generous hospitality fully abreast of Kentucky's great tradition for hospitality. May the peace of God abide on these blessed homes and may the glorious Christ forever shine in their hearts.

This session has been notable in the fact that along some lines of effort and activity we have realized goals for which we have been praying and toiling. The membership of the Conference has passed the 60,000 mark. The finances, despite the European war and the havoc of crops in some sections of the conference, surpass all past records.

In view of these manifold blessings we offer for adoption the following:

I. Be it resolved that we hereby tender to the two railroads, the Illinois Central and the L. & N., to the two local papers the Herald and the Republican, to the banks and to the attorneys who have so courteously extended the use of their offices; to the pastors and members of the Baptist and Christian churches; to the Rev. B. W. Napier and his noble people; to brother Robert Lear and the sweet singers who assisted him; to Hon. C. M. Barnett for his welcome address, and to the entire community our heartiest thanks for every kindness and the untiring and unstinted hospitality. And while we cannot thank him, we can say that we deeply appreciated the presence and presidency of Bishop James Atkins.

II. In view of the fact that this session has been so notable in its record of achievements, notable for the high and spiritual order of the sermons and addresses delivered, notable for the entire absence of the least friction or unpleasantness, notable for the peace of God which has seemed to brood over the entire session, be it resolved, that we do hereby tender our thanks to our Heavenly Father for all these mercies and blessings and hereby pledge ourselves to work more earnestly in saving souls, in visiting the poor, the sick, the faint hearted, and to give ourselves wholly to the service of our Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ during the coming year of the Conference.

FRANK M. THOMAS,
J. S. CHANDLER,
S. L. C. COWARD,
R. V. HENNETT,
PAUL S. POWELL,
J. B. SKAY.

A. S. of E. Notes.

The Ohio County Union of the A. S. of E. is called to meet at Hartford next Saturday, October 9th, at 9 o'clock a. m. All tobacco growers, whether members or not, are requested to be present.

S. L. STEVENS, Pres.
HENRY M. PHILLIPS, Secy.

LATEST WAR NEWS

Monday.

The Balkans.—The Russian minister at Sofia has been ordered by his Government, to leave the Bulgarian capital, if within twenty-four hours Bulgaria does not openly break with the Central powers and dismiss the Austro-German officers who recently arrived in that country to direct the operations of King Ferdinand's army. The other Powers of the Quadruple Entente are backing up Russia in this demand, and Bulgaria therefore must decide on continued neutrality or be considered definitely committed to the Central Powers almost immediately. It is thought King Ferdinand has made his choice and is awaiting only the completion of mobilization to strike at Serbia.

On Battlefields.—Rain and mud have prevented the Anglo-French armies from continuing their full offensive in Artois. Fighting of a stubborn nature continues, both sides trying to gain vantage points. Success here, as in Champagne, is varying, although the Allies are holding virtually all the ground they have gained in the last week's thrust. Military writers expect that similar thrusts will be made before long.

The United States.—Germany has failed to satisfy the requests of the United States for a disavowal of her crack sinking and assumption of liability for the act, it became known last night following a White House conference between President Wilson and Secretary Lansing regarding the last note submitted by Count von Bernstorff.

Thomas St. John Gaffney, American consul general at Munich, has announced that he will resign in accordance with the request from Washington, but says he will ask an investigation of his case.

Tuesday.

The Balkans.—The time allotted Bulgaria through Russia, to break with the Germanic allies, has expired, but the expiration of the time limit brought no immediate surface indications to clarify the situation. Events have been occurring, however, in keeping with the fast approaching crisis involving the entry of the Balkans into the European conflict. Russian warships have appeared in the Black Sea off the Bulgarian port of Varna; French and British troops have landed at Saloniki, a Greek port fifty miles south of the Bulgarian frontier, and Bulgarian troops have been massed in great numbers along the Serbian frontier.

On Battlefields. In the west the Germans have persisted in their driving counter-attacks against the British until they have retaken most of the Hohenzellern redoubt, so named by the German soldiers. French fighting of a violent nature in Artois throughout the day is reported in the French official statement which adds that to the south of Givenchy the Germans have gained a footing at the crossing of five roads, but were repulsed everywhere else.

Wednesday.

Greece.—Premier Venizelos, of Greece, resigned after King Constantine informed him he was unable to support the policy of his ministry, according to an Athens dispatch received in Paris. The Premier has stood firm for the observance of the treaty of alliance between Greece and Serbia, while the King favored taking a neutral stand.

The Balkans.—Russia's ultimatum to Bulgaria, which was not delivered until Sunday afternoon, expired yesterday afternoon, but no answer had been received, so far as known, up

to a late hour last night. British officials expected none, considering that Bulgaria has been definitely committed to the Germanic allies, according to a dispatch from London. Allied troops have landed at Saloniki and while Greece has made a protest of the violation of her neutrality as a matter of form, it is declared that the people "wink at" the infringement.

On Battlefields.—Russia has begun an energetic offensive in the east, and Petrograd reports that the forces have met with considerable success, capturing four villages and some German trenches. Berlin denies these claims, however. In the west the bombardments are reported almost continuous, and trench fighting continues, while British warships are shelling Belgian coast towns held by the Germans.

United States.—Disavowal of the Arabic sinking and assumption of liability by the German Government contained in a note submitted yesterday to Secretary of State Lansing by Count von Bernstorff, completed Berlin's surrender on the issue of submarine warfare, and cleared the way for the American Government to take up the injustice of the British Order-in-Council.

Thursday.

The Balkans. Delivery of Bulgaria's unfavorable reply to Russia has brought the crisis in the near east to a head and developed evidence of a programme of consolidation of Germanic and Turkish allies for a clean sweep from Berlin and Vienna to Constantinople, the success of which largely depends upon the continued neutrality of Greece and Rumania, whose assistance, however, the British Allies are needing. The German Emperor's ambitious for expansion toward India and Asia are seen, with King Constantine, his brother-in-law holding the situation in his palm. That Premier Venizelos' resignation was virtually a dismissal has been declared another indication of the rapid development of the great project, which means the shifting of the crucial holds of the war to the Balkan peninsula. Russian, French, British and Serbian ministers in Sofia asked for their passports.

On Battlefields.—With reports that great German forces are moving forward for an assault upon Serbia new varied accounts of continued fighting in the west, where the Germans are seemingly endeavoring to forestall a continuation of the Allies' offensive. Russia continues her efforts to assume the initiative, and von Hindenburg is said to be receiving reinforcements.

Greece. After a consultation with former premier King Constantine formed a coalition cabinet with M. Zalmi at the head and is at work on the membership, which is expected to be completed to-day.

The Registration.

Tomorrow and Wednesday are the days set apart by law for registration. Failure to register means the loss of the right to vote at the coming election. That election will determine not only the character of the State Government for the next four years, but of the judiciary of Louisville and Jefferson county for the next six. Involved in it, is the question whether the city administration is to have a friendly or hostile General Council, that is, whether there is to be co-operation or antagonism in the conduct of the executive and legislative branches of the city government in the two remaining years of Dr. Husehemyer's administration as Mayor.

The issues concerned have to do intimately and individually with the interests of every resident, not less than of every citizen, of Louisville. They will have their influence in the

determination of the national issues that will call for decision a year hence. Not only should every Democrat register, but every Republican and independent as well if the election is to be truly representative of the will of the majority.

Equally essential is it that the registration lists, when made up, shall contain the name of no man not possessed of the right to vote, if there is to be popular as distinguished from invisible government.

It is known to every man with a knowledge of local conditions that the registration lists in Louisville have been padded for past elections and now contain thousands of names placed there by fraud. If these names are not purged, they and not the rightful voters of Louisville will decide the result. Only the fool in politics can be indifferent as to this state of fact. Only the political Times

brook will deny that it exists. The courts have the power to end this wrong against free government, but the courts cannot act without proof. The average voter has no way of knowing what is the situation in the city at large. He does or should know the situation in his own precinct or neighborhood and whether men registered from vacant lots or houses are actually citizens of Louisville or not.

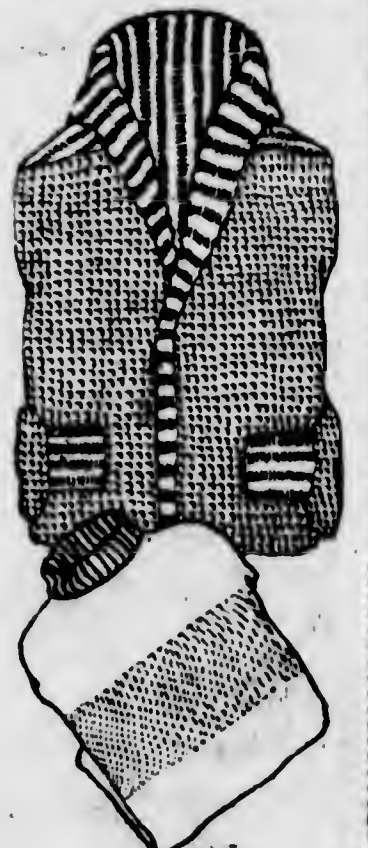
The Times believes that the success of the Democratic ticket will be for the best interest of the city, the county and the state, but of more vital moment than party success is the right of the people to a free ballot and a fair count. Whichever party win, Louisville will lose, if fraud exercises the balance of power, as it will if the registration lists are not fairly made up.—Louisville Times.

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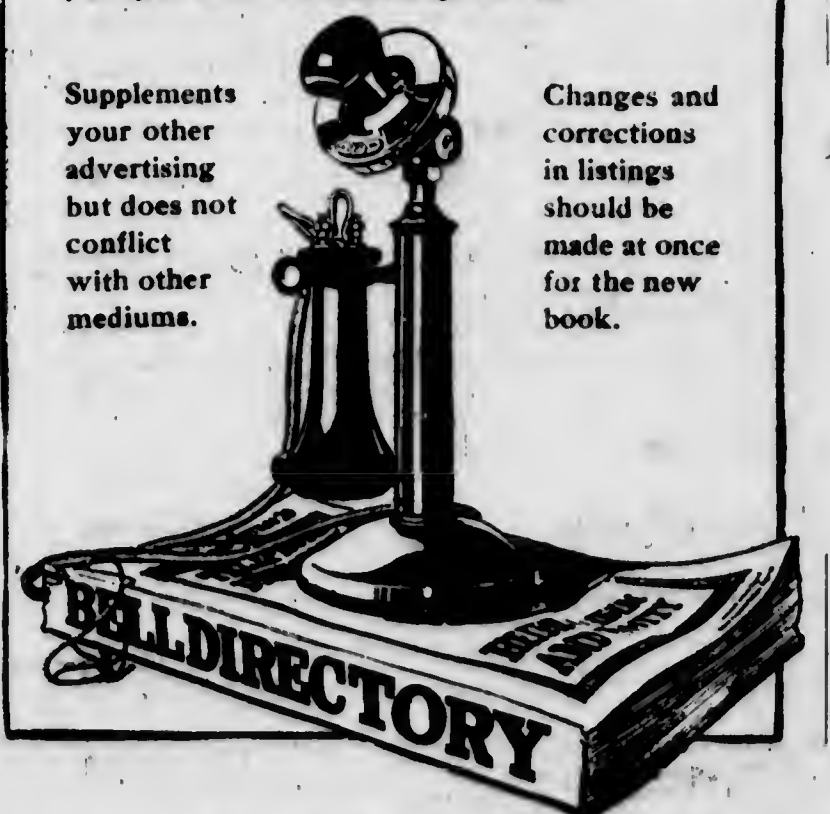
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